

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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MOISES MENDEZ,	:
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Plaintiff,	:
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v.	:
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STARWOOD HOTELS AND RESORTS	:
WORLDWIDE, INC.,	:
	:
Defendant.	:
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08-CIV-4967 (CM) (KNF)

**ECF CASE**

**RULE 7.1 STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of this Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, Defendant Starwood Hotels and Resorts Worldwide, Inc. ("*Starwood*"), by its undersigned attorneys, certifies that it is a publicly-held company and that there are no corporate parents of Starwood and no publicly-held corporation owns an interest in Starwood.

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